Rockefeller Center New York 20, N.Y.

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Dear Dr. Gregg:

Being your senior by so many years I have for some time, as you know, had no official connection with the Rockefeller Foundation. Nevertheless, as the son of its founder, I want to send you this brief word on your retirement.

None of those interested in the Foundation can face with equanimity the termination of your thirty-seven years of active association with it. But what full years they have been, and how rewarding to the Foundation and countless people throughout the world! Your service to the "well-being of mankind" cannot be overestimated.

With warmest remembrances and all good wishes for the years that lie ahead, I am,

John D. Rockefella Jr.

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